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In re the Application of: **NAGASAKA, Hiroshi et al.** ✓

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For. **SLIDING MEMBER AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREFOR** ✓

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Date: June 26, 2003

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated February 26, 2003 for one month from May 26, 2003 to June 26, 2003.

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